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## **VIA PACER**

Honorable Laura Taylor Swain United States District Court for the Southern District of New York Thurgood Marshall United States Court House 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

RE: Hillard Energy v. Punjab National Bank (International) LTD. et al. Case No.: 1:21-cv-06181-ALC

Dear Judge Swain,

The parties submit this joint letter to the Court requesting an adjournment of two (2) weeks as we are currently engaged in settlement discussions and believe we have reached an agreement in principle. The parties have agreed to adjourn the due date of Plaintiff's opposition to the Defendant's motion to dismiss from August 15, 2022 to August 29, 2022 and the return date from September 9, 2022 to September 23, 2022. The parties verily believe that two weeks is adequate time to complete any further negotiations.

Sincerely,

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